

**PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: TUBE FOR USE IN FLUID EVAPORATION TECHNIQUES, IN PARTICULAR FOOD
FLUID

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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